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Mail Stop 16
Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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U.S. Pat. App. Ser. No. 10/842,330**REQUEST FOR REFUNDS OF OVERCHARGES TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 502834**

Dear Sir/Madam:

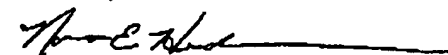
An audit of the activity for the above-referenced Deposit Account has revealed the following discrepancies:

(1) On August 1, 2005, an Amendment was filed in U.S. Pat. App. Ser. No. 10/625,789. Extra claims fees of \$100 were due for two new dependent claims, as shown on the attached copy of the Patent Application Fee Determination Record created by the USPTO. On August 2, 2005, our Deposit Account No. 502834 was charged \$100.00 for these extra claims (reference posting 10625789, as shown on the enclosed Deposit Account Statement for August 2005). On August 5, 2005, three days later, the Deposit Account was again charged for the same fee, with the same posting reference number, as is also shown on the enclosed Deposit Account Statement. It is therefore respectfully requested that the overcharge in the amount of \$100.00 be immediately credited to Deposit Account Number 502834.

(2) On December 14, 2004, a Response to a Notice to File Missing Parts was filed in U.S. Pat. App. Ser. No. 10/842,330, with a three month extension of time. On December 21, 2004, our Deposit Account No. 502834 was charged \$1020.00 for the three-month extension of time fee (reference posting 10842330, as shown on the enclosed Deposit Account Statement for December 2004). A Notice of Incomplete Reply was received, to which a response was filed on January 13, 2005, with a four month extension of time. On January 21, 2005, our Deposit Account No. 502834 was charged \$1590.00 for the four-month extension of time fee (also reference posting 10842330, as shown on the enclosed Deposit Account Statement for January 2005). The required refund of the originally paid three-month fee was never credited to the account. It is therefore respectfully requested that the overcharge in the amount of \$1020.00 be immediately credited to Deposit Account Number 502834.

Please refund the above-discussed amounts as soon as possible. If further information is required please contact Rose Young at (603) 225-4334. Thank you for your prompt attention to these matters.

Yours very truly,



Norma E. Henderson

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Deposit Account Statement

Requested Statement Month: August 2005
Deposit Account Number: 502834
Name: HINCKLEY ALLEN & SNYDER LLP
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City: CONCORD
State: NH
Zip: 03301
Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

	DATE	SEQ	POSTING REF TXT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NBR	FEE CODE	AMT	BAL
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	08/05	10	10625789	MLB-105(6992/103)	1202	\$100.00	\$4,997.00
	08/08	5	60676910	11402T	1251	\$120.00	\$4,877.00
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 30, 2005, the Applicants submit the following:

Preliminary Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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